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SUBJECT: Conference Report on Europe in the
Eighties

You might be interested in seeing a copy
of the conference report on Europe in the Eighties.
We are in the process of developing ideas for a
longer-term estimates project that looks at some
of the trends mentioned by both academic and
government specialists. Should you have any
interest in future interagency work in these
areas, please let us know.

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economy by the end of this decade than it was during the two preceding
ones. These projections stem from a skepticism that European governments
will be willing or able to surmount the socio-political obstacles to
critical structural adjustments to their economies. While Europeans
generally realize that the welfare state is in deep trouble and is too

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